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Dear Sir:

This statement is presented as evidence that **Application No, 09/438,994** titled "INHIBITORS OF CRYSTALLIZATION IN A SOLID DISPERSION", and U.S. **Patent No. 6,465,011 B2** titled "FORMULATIONS COMPRISING LIPID-REGULATING AGENTS" were, at the time the invention of **Application No, 09/438,994** was made, **owned by ABBOTT LABORATORIES, Abbott Park, IL.**

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith for the patent application identified above entitled INHIBITORS OF CRYSTALLIZATION IN A SOLID DISPERSION are the following:

1. Response
2. Statement of Common Ownership
3. Return Receipt Postcard

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